

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application No.: 09/977,463

Art Unit: 3728

Examiner: Jila M. Mohandesi

Inventor: W. C. Johnson, Jr.

Filed: October 15, 2001

For: BOOT WITH OVERSIZED TOE BOX FOR THERMAL INSULATION

Attorney Docket No.: 2424900-157498

The Honorable Commissioner for Patents

PO Box 1450

Arlington, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

DEPOSIT ACCOUNT AUTHORIZATION

Please charge the fees for the Petition for Extension of Time in connection with the above-referenced application to our Deposit Account No. 503915. This paper is submitted in duplicate.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: April 18, 2007

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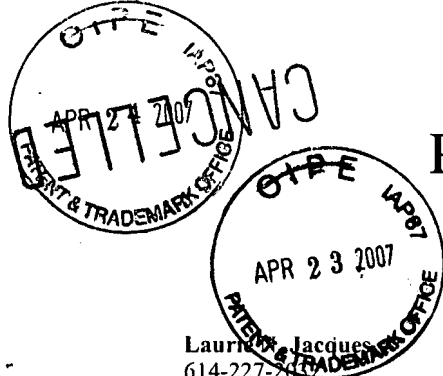


CERTIFICATE OF FILING BY MAIL

I certify that this Response to Official Communication including Petition for Extension of Time and Authorization re Deposit Account (in duplicate) were mailed to Commissioner for Patents, PO Box 1450, Arlington, VA 22313-1450 by United States mail, first class postage prepaid, on this 18^h day of April, 2007.

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Dear Sir:

Enclosed for filing in the above-referenced application is a Response to Official Communication including Petition for Extension of Time. Authorization to Charge Deposit Account (in duplicate), and Certificate of Filing by Mail. Also enclosed is our postcard receipt, which we ask that you acknowledge and return to us.

Very truly yours,

Laurie N. Jacques

Enclosures



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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

Applicants request that an extension of time to respond to the Official Communication mailed October 18, 2006, be granted for an additional three month period. This is a three month extension of time which, when granted, will extend the time for response to and including April 18, 2007. An authorization to charge the fee for this petition to our deposit account is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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